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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST**  
**FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed July 25, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the captioned application in view of the amendments and remarks to follow.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.